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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Bhusan Gupta and Alan Kramer  
Application No. : 09/475,686  
Filed : December 30, 1999  
For : COMMAND INTERFACE USING FINGERPRINT SENSOR  
INPUT SYSTEM



Art Unit : 2735  
Docket No. : 99-B-156 (850063.571)  
Date : May 11, 2000

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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Applicant herewith petitions the Assistant Commissioner of Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one-month extension of time for filing the response to the Examiner's Action dated February 11, 2000, from April 11, 2000 to May 11, 2000. Submitted herewith is a check for \$1316, which includes \$110 to cover the cost of the extension requested herein.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 19-1090. This petition is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,  
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